

LGA Forward Plan

Purpose of report

For discussion and direction.

Summary

The LGA Leadership Board is responsible for driving the Association's activities and business, taking a lead in developing and overseeing delivery of the business plan and identifying the emerging and key issues to highlight to the LGA Executive.

As part of this, Members are invited to consider which items they would like to see on future agendas of the LGA Leadership Board, LGA Executive and Councillors' Forum.

The current draft agendas for September and October 2012 are attached at **Annex A.**

Recommendation

Members are invited to specify topics and items for future meetings of the LGA Executive, Leadership Board and Councillors' Forum.

Action

Officers to brief Members and officers in line with steer.

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September 2012

LGA Leadership Board - 19 September	
Item	Summary
Part 1	
Collective Energy Purchasing	To consider further information on energy switching.
Commerical Partnerships and endorsements	To consider future LGA involvement with commercial partnerships and endorsements.
LGA Business	
LGA Business Plan 2013/2014	The Draft Business Plan for 2013/14 is presented for initial review.
Research Special Interest Group	Review of the Research Special Interest Group - one year on.
Chief Executive's Report	To hold the Chief Executive to account against delivery of business plan priorities.
Public Affairs Review and Forward Plan - quarterly report	To review forthcoming events, legislation and announcements.
LGA Executive Agenda	To run through the items to be considered by the LGA Executive the following day
LGA Forward Plan	To consider topics for future discussions at LGA Leadership Board, LGA Executive and Councillors' Forum.
LGA Executive Agenda	To run through the items to be considered by the LGA Executive Agenda the following day
Note of last meeting	To approve the note of the last meeting of LGA Leadership Board.
Part 2	
Councillors' Forum - 20 September	
Item	Summary
Debate: Social Care White Paper	
Membership and Terms of Reference	To note the Forum's Membership & Terms of Reference for 2012/2013.
Chairman's Report	To present the Chairman's monthly report
Chairs of Boards' Report	To present the Chairs of Programme Boards' monthly reports
LGA Executive - 20 September	
Item	Summary
Community Budgets	To update the Executive on the whole place community budget pilots and the role that th4e LGA is playing.
Regional Update from the East of England	East of England Regional representative to present on behalf of the region.
LGA Business	
Membership and Terms of Reference	To note the Executive's Membership and Terms of Reference for 2012/2013.
Police & Crime Commissioners	To update the LGA Executive on PCC membership developments.
LGA Communications Strategy	The Director of Communications will present the LGA's draft

	communications strategy for discussion.
Note of LGA Leadership Board	To highlight key issues from LGA Leadership Board the previous day.
Note of last LG Executive meeting	To approve the note of the last meeting.

October 2012

LGA Leadership Board - 17 October	
Item	Summary
Part 1	
LGA Business	
Chief Executive's Report	To hold the Chief Executive to account against delivery of business plan priorities.
LGA Executive Agenda	To run through the items to be considered by the LGA Executive the following day
LGA Forward Plan	To consider topics for future discussions at LGA Leadership Board, LGA Executive and Councillors' Forum.
LGA Executive Agenda	To run through the items to be considered by the LGA Executive Agenda the following day
Note of last meeting	To approve the note of the last meeting of LGA Leadership Board.
Part 2	
Councillors' Forum - NO OCTOBER MEETING	
Item	Summary
Debate:	
Chairman's Report	To present the Chairman's monthly report
Chairs of Boards' Report	To present the Chairs of Programme Boards' monthly reports
LGA Executive - 18 October [SUBJECT TO POSSIBLE CHANGE OF DATE]	
Item	Summary
Regional Update from the North West	North West Regional representative to present on behalf of the region.
LGA Business	
Note of LGA Leadership Board	To highlight key issues from LGA Leadership Board the previous day
Note of last meeting	To approve the note of the last meeting of the LGA Executive.